

Airport Construction – St Marys GA

Proposed Recipient: City of St. Marys

Address of Recipient: 418 Osborne Street, St. Marys, GA 31558

Amount of Request: \$3.5 million

Explanation of Request:

Purpose: Construction of a new GA airport to replace the existing City of St. Mary's AP located immediately south of Kings Bay Naval facility.

Why is it a good use of Taxpayer funds: Due to the increasing security requirements which resulted from the September 11, 2001 terrorist attacks, and the close proximity of the airport to Kings Bay, airport operations have been significantly restricted due to expanded prohibited airspace surrounding the naval base.